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**Patent**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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For: LATCH FOR A MOBILE PART OF A VEHICLE BODY, SUCH AS  
A FLAP OR A DOOR, ESPECIALLY A REAR OPENING  
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**AMENDMENT**

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Applicant hereby requests a two-month extension of the original shortened statutory period set in the Office Action of February 27, 2007. Enclosed is a credit card payment form in the amount of \$450 in payment of the government fee for a two-month extension of time.

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In response to the Office action dated February 27, 2007,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of  
claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.